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## POLICE HOLD AUCTION

Hundred Bicycles in Junk at Annual Sale.

LARGE SUM IS REALIZED

One of the Most Successful Auctions of the Year is Held at Bensinger's in Sixth Street, Where Bidding is Lively for Two Hours Necessary to Dispose of Wares.

Bensinger's auction house, in Sixth street, was the scene yesterday morning of one of the most interesting of the annual auctions taking place in this city. The dead letter sale, which comes off in December, and the auction of the articles captured and found by the police are two sales that always attract a large amount of interest.

Yesterday's auction was one of all articles that the police have captured or which have been turned in to them as found, and have remained unclaimed. It was a heterogeneous mass of articles of all descriptions. Bicycles and alarm clocks, clothing and flags, rubbers and caps, hair brushes and tricycles—all were put into lots and sold to the highest bidder.

It was an expectant crowd that awaited the call of the auctioneer, and as 10 o'clock came around, they moved up to the block to see what would be the first thing put up.

Only Few Spokes Missing.

"Here you are!" was the call. "What'll you give for this perfectly good bicycle? It's all right, except for a few spokes. What'll you give for it?" After a little bidding it was "knocked down" to an individual known as "Eddie" for \$3. And as time went on "Eddie" was seen to purchase most of the wheels, no matter what condition they were in. In fact, there were but few of the machines that were not gobbled up by "Eddie" or "Dick," and these worthies piled their purchases up in one corner of the hall and went back to get some more. They bought nearly a hundred machines.

When a good machine was put up there was no scarcity of bids. "Come on, gentlemen," called the leather-lunged auctioneer, "what'll you give for this? It's the best of the lot. Not a thing the matter with it. Come on with your bids."

"Two dollars," squeaked a little voice in the corner which was found to emanate from a boy about six, but a bid of \$3 from another corner was heard. "Eddie" promptly came to the rescue with a raise of 50 cents, and "Dick" followed with 50 more. This went on alternately until the price reached \$10, and "Dick" quit.

Much Junk Auctioned.

Lead pipe, brass fittings, milk cans, a gross of corks, collections of keys and cutlery, knives and chain, lengths of rope, and other things too numerous to mention all went under the hammer. On none of these was the bidding particularly brisk, the prices offered ranging from 25 cents to \$1.

A baby carriage came along next. "Here you are, ladies. Just the thing you need. Think how nice Clarence or Jennie would look in this! What'll you give? Three dollars?" No. Well, make it \$2 then. Try \$1. Sure it's worth that much. You couldn't get one like it for \$5 anywhere in town. What? A quarter. All right, let it go. Ladies, it's my stuff, and I don't care what it goes for."

And so it went. But the real interest of the morning came with the sale of three trunks with their contents unknown. That there was something in them was evident from their weight, but what it was the audience knew not. The bidding was rather brisk, and they finally went to a couple of porters from one of the hotels. What was in them was not given out by the bidders.

Two suit cases were sold in the same manner and a banjo, minus the strings, brought only 75 cents. A man's suit was sold at \$1.25. Ladies' fur pieces, a "Eddie" and "Dick" were evidently the only ones who were known to the auctioneer, for every one else had to pay cash.

"Well, here's the best thing in the lot," cried the man on the block. "A lot of cutlery and other articles." This great lot brought only a mere trifle, and while small prices seemed to be the rule of the sale, the total was probably quite large as there were over four hundred lots sold during the morning.

Some idea of the rapidity of the sales may be gained from the fact that the auction started at 10 and was over a few moments before 12, during which time there were probably a thousand separate articles sold, though there were but 400 lots.

The success of the sales of this and past years insures their continuance in the future, but it will be another year before the next auction.

SHRINERS EXPECT BIG TIME.

Excursion to Marshall Hall to Be Popular Outing of Year.

Members and friends of Almas Temple, Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, are looking forward with anxious anticipation to the annual excursion of that order, which will occur at Marshall Hall on Wednesday.

This annual event is one of the most popular outings of the year, not only because of the fun and frolic always indulged in, but because of the fact that the proceeds are to be used to swell the charity fund which is expended each Christmas time to bring cheer to the homes of hundreds of the needy.

An elaborate programme of amusements has been provided for both day and evening. A match game of baseball between teams of Orient Commandery and Almas Temple will be played after the arrival of the morning boat, which will be followed by a series of athletic sports, in which forty prizes will be competed for.

The crowning event of the day will be a motorboat race, which will be run on the arrival of the afternoon boat. Two valuable silver cups have been donated as trophies for the winners. A large list of the speediest boats on the river have entered for the contest.

A songfest will furnish entertainment on the pavilion, and dancing will be indulged in both afternoon and evening. Ample provision has been made for boats to carry all who may desire to go. Boats leave Seventh street wharf at 10 o'clock a. m., 2:30 and 5:30 o'clock p. m.

**CARPENTERS DELAY STRIKE.**  
Will Return to Work To-morrow and Await Developments.

At a special meeting of the Carpenters and Joiners' Union last night at National Rifles' Armory, the matter of going on a strike was considered. It was decided to return to work to-morrow to await developments.

The workers are contending for a 4 cents increase in pay per hour and for a half-day holiday on Saturday during June, July, and August.

It was stated at the meeting that all except three builders had agreed to submit to the demand, and that it would not be advisable to strike until further negotiations could be had.

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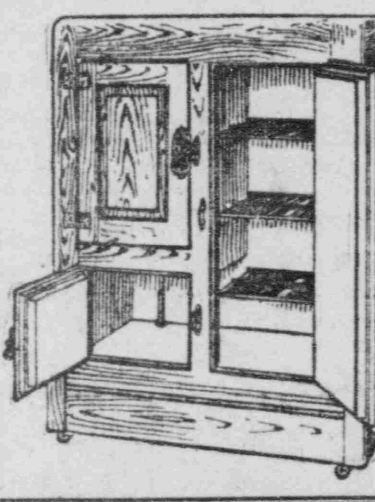


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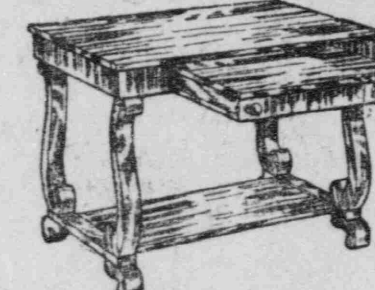
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## BUSINESS HIGH SCHOOL.

Attractive Programme for the Excursion to Marshall Hall.

To-morrow will be the gala day on which the Alumni Association of the Business High School will hold its fifth annual excursion to Marshall Hall.

The excursion has been arranged so that there will be features for all—music on all boats going down and on the night boat coming home, and an orchestra and band to alternate at Marshall Hall in the evening for dancing; an athletic meet at 4 o'clock in the afternoon to be managed by Mr. W. G. Stuart, who is experienced in handling meets; exciting boat races from Washington to Marshall Hall that may be witnessed by those on the evening boat and on the night boat.

A great amount of interest has been aroused by the boat races, which are a novel thing for an excursion on the Potomac, and each of the local papers has donated for prizes, handsome silver cups.

These cups have been on exhibition in local windows and have excited interest. The Cincinnati Yacht Club has offered the use of the clubrooms for the occasion, and boats are to rendezvous there at about 5 o'clock to receive their class flags and the number of their boat. A preparatory gun will be fired at 5:30, and at 6 o'clock the starting gun will be fired. The start will be flying, and from an imaginary line across the channel from the Macalester wharf at Seventh street, handicaps will be allowed, based on beam at lead water line and engine.

Commissioner Cuno Rudolph will announce the winners during the evening at the pavilion. The judges will be Don E. Clark, J. Edwin Lawton, Ross L. Fryer, Fred W. Cronwell, Adrian Sizer, and Tom Scott.

The athletic meet will be started at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The orchestra going down on the afternoon boat will be held at the grounds and used for music for the meet. The events will be all scratch. For novices there will be three races—75-yard dash, 880-yard run, and standing broad jump. For first-year students there will be a 75-yard dash and 300-yard run. Open to all school boys will be 100-yard dash, 600-yard run, one-mile run, 12-pound shot put, standing broad jump, and a relay race (one mile) of teams of four men. Gold medals will be given for the first, silver medals for the seconds, and bronze medals for the thirds. A silver cup will also be given to the individual athlete scoring the largest number of points. The meet is open only to District of Columbia school boys, and "the President's cup" and a handsome banner will be awarded the school whose representatives score the greatest number of points in individual events. Suitable prizes will also be given to the members of the winning relay team.

At 5 o'clock Commissioner Rudolph will present the winners with their prizes. The presentation will be made at the pavilion. In the evening there will be dancing at the pavilion. A section of a brass band has been secured to augment the boat orchestra. It will go down on the evening boat, and will alternate on the pavilion with the orchestra for the dancing.

The committee in charge of the excursion is: Clarence C. Weidemann, chairman; Robert C. Tracy, secretary; William L. Crane, treasurer; Don E. Clark, aquatic; W. G. Stuart, athletic; Harry C. Sigourney, dancing; and Orville B. Brown, souvenir programme.

**Per Capita Circulation \$24.35.**  
The per capita circulation of money in the United States on June 1 was \$24.35. This was based on an estimated population of 92,243,000.

## W. K. MENDENHALL BURIED.

Rites for Bank Director Performed Under Masonic Ceremonies.

Funeral services for William K. Mendenhall, who died Thursday at the age of seventy-five years, were held yesterday afternoon from his late home at the Porter. Interment was in Oak Hill Cemetery. Rites were performed under Masonic ceremonies.

The deceased was born in Philadelphia and came to this city about 1860, entering the government service. He was connected with the General Land Office, and was known in financial circles as a director of the Central National Bank for nearly thirty years, and later as a director of the National Bank of Washington.

## NICK NOT FOR GOVERNOR.

Ohio Convention Could Not Induce Him to Accept, He Says.

Cincinnati, June 4.—In a letter made public to-day to Wes Cripey, his business agent in Cincinnati, Representative Nicholas Longworth declares that he is not a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, and that under no circumstances would he accept the nomination if it were tendered him by the Republican State convention at Columbus next month. He says:

"I prefer to remain in Congress, and under no circumstances would I consent to go into the gubernatorial race. You will kindly deny to my friends that I am in the race in any way."

It is expected that Longworth will be in Cincinnati shortly after July 1, and will remain in Ohio until after the convention, when he will go East for the summer.

## Watch for a City at Randle Highlands.

**SUICIDE'S FATHER ON WAY.**

John Hulce, of Galesburg, Ill., Will Accompany Boat to Home.

John Hulce, of Galesburg, Ill., father of Richard D. Hulce, the night watchman, who committed suicide at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing stables early yesterday morning, will arrive here today and will be met by Representative Prince, of Illinois, who is a resident of Galesburg.

The body of the suicide, which was taken to Lee's undertaking establishment, will be taken to Galesburg for burial. A ship service will be held at Lee's chapel this afternoon, and the party will leave on an evening train.

For June Brides and Graduates order Shaffer's choice flowers, 14th & Eye

**Prof. Ambrose Out of Danger.**  
Prof. H. M. Ambrose, of Campbell College, Holton, Kans., who recently underwent an operation at Homeopathic Hospital, is improving rapidly. Mr. Ambrose attended the Sunday school convention.

## LOCAL MENTION.

**EXCURSIONS TO-DAY.**

Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company's steamers from foot of Seventh street for Old Point Comfort and Norfolk daily at 6:45 p. m. Steamer Charles Mangetier for Mount Vernon. Leaves Seventh street wharf at 10 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.

Cars from Fifteenth street and New York avenue every quarter hour for Zoo Park, Cherry Chase, and Kensington.

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